

**Amendments to the Claims:**

1. (Currently Amended) A method for paying for mail to be delivered from a sender in a first country to a recipient in a second country, comprising the steps of:

affixing a first indicia to mail for ~~the~~ payment of ~~the~~ carrier fees for the first country; ~~and~~

affixing a second country indicia to the mail for ~~the~~ payment of the carrier fees for the second ~~countries~~ country, and

debiting a meter for the payment of the carrier fees for the first country and the carrier fees for the second country.

2. (Original) The method claimed in claim 1, wherein the first indicia is a post office postal indicia.

3. (Original) The method claimed in claim 1, wherein the second indicia is a post office postal indicia.

4. (Original) The method claimed in claim 1, wherein the first indicia is a common carrier indicia.

5. (Original) The method claimed in claim 1, wherein the second indicia is a common carrier indicia.

6. (Original) The method claimed in claim 1, wherein the first and second indicia are affixed to mail by a postage meter.

7. (Original) The method claimed in claim 1, wherein the first and second indicia are affixed to mail by a personal computer meter.